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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Restriction Requirement mailed September 10, 2007, said period of response being extended from October 10, 2007 to November 10, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3478 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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